

Curriculum Tip: Using SchoolRooms to Support Standards

How can you use SchoolRooms to find information that supports a South Carolina academic standard? Teachers can use these resources for lesson plans and classroom activities, and students can find information to complete projects, reinforce learning, and obtain study materials.

Take this high school US History standard as an example.

Standard USHC-7: The student will demonstrate an understanding of the economic boom-and-bust in America in the 1920s and 1930s, its resultant political instability, and the subsequent worldwide response.

USHC-7.2 Explain cultural responses to the period of economic boom-and-bust, including the Harlem Renaissance; new trends in literature, music, and art; and the effects of radio and movies. (H, E)

You can find resources in several ways within SchoolRooms Try searching for keywords such as Harlem Renaissance, The Jazz Age, Roaring Twenties, and the Great Depression. Searches can also be for people and cultural events such as Langston Hughes, Surrealism, Flappers, Jazz, and F. Scott Fitzgerald.

You can also find great information by browsing. Here is a list of topics with several Rooms that link to informative and reputable resources. Start with the High School link on the left side of the screen, under the title "Explore a Room."

Harlem Renaissance

- High School->American Literature->Modernism 1914-1945->Historical Connections (including the Harlem Renaissance)
- High School->American Literature->Modernism 1914 - 1945->Works
- High School->U.S. History->World War I & The Jazz Age
- High School->U.S. History->World War I & The Jazz Age->Key Events & Concepts

Literature

- High School->American Literature->Modernism 1914-1945
- High School->U.S. History->World War I & The Jazz Age->Culture & Daily Life (including Writing & Literature)

Art

- High School->Art & Theater->Art History->Modernism

Theater

- High School->Art & Theater->Theater History->Western Theater History (try the 20th Century content)

Music

- High School->Dance & Music->Music->History (try the 20th Century content)

Radio & Movies

- High School->U.S. History->World War I & The Jazz Age->Culture & Daily Life (including Technology)

World View

- High School->World History->The Beginning of the 20th Century, 1900-1945->Between the Wars